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TRADE SALES.

A communication appears in the *Commercial Advertiser* of the 11th inst., which is intended as an answer to the articles touching the Book Trade Sales, which appeared in the American Publishers' Circular, and were copied into the *Commercial*. The writer does not, however, attempt to answer any of the arguments which were urged in favor of the plan of sales adopted by the Publishers' Association, as compared with that which has been latterly in use, but contents himself with a little very vague, and, it seems to me, erroneous reasoning in favor of what is commonly known as the withdrawal plan, which he advocates. The first point made is that the Sales, which, many years since, were held on a plan similar to that now adopted by the Association, did not reach so great an amount as more recent sales on the withdrawal system. This argument proves nothing, however. The natural tendency of such sales is to increase from year to year. The book trade is itself increasing with astonishing rapidity. A few years since a sale of 10,000 copies of any book was quite as rare as a sale of 50,000 copies is at the present day, while the number of books published annually has also greatly increased. Here, then, is a satisfactory reason why there should have been a very much greater increase in the amount sold at Trade Sales than has actually taken place. Moreover, there were formerly four semi-annual trade sales in the principal cities, where there are now but two. Indeed, were it proper to judge of the value of a Trade Sale plan by the amount of sales effected under it, the conclusion would be inevitable, considering the circumstances named, that the old plan which the Association have re-adopted, is greatly better than the withdrawal system advocated by the Messrs. Harper. But publishers do not admit that this is a true test. The amount of sales effected is but one point, and it may be that a sale of small amount on a certain plan may be better, in the end, than one of larger amount conducted on different principles. This argument, then, may come very well from an auctioneer, but will not have weight with publishers.

After stating that the Association's plan was formerly in use, and that about ten years since, at the suggestion of some of the leading members of the trade, the withdrawal plan was introduced, the correspondent of the *Commercial* adds: "The benefit of this alteration has been proved in the most decisive manner, both to buyer and seller." If this is so, why is it that a great majority of the publishers in the country, after having tried both plans, are now in favor of returning to the former, and have this season contributed only to the sales in accordance with it? If this be so, how comes it that the influential house which first proposed the change ten years since, is now among the most prominent in advocating the return to the old plan? "The late sale of Messrs. Harper," says this writer, "at the current trade sale of Messrs. Bangs, Brothers & Co., exemplifies better than any description that we could give, the working of the present plan" (the withdrawal plan). He goes on to state that this sale reached "the astounding amount of $80,000." Without questioning if this be a fact (and there are some of us who set it down to "Bunkum"), there are abundant reasons why a sale as great, or even greater than this, might have been reasonably expected, notwithstanding all the disadvantages of the system under which this sale was made. Some of these may be enumerated thus:—

1. The season is an exceedingly favorable one. Every branch of business is active, and an unusually large number of books is wanted.

2. Since the fire which destroyed their stock, Messrs. Harper have never, until now, been able to offer a full assortment of their publications. The market had, therefore, become bare of them, and, to some extent, the sales of several seasons were thus concentrated into one.

3. Heretofore Harpers have had two sales; this season they have but one. It might reasonably have been expected, therefore, that, from this cause alone, it would be double in amount.

4. Extraordinary exertions were made by them to secure a large sale. Circulars were addressed to the trade, and, in many cases, private letters written, urging attendance and purchase.

5. A most important reason why so large a sale was made is to be found in the fact, that they sold their books at very much below the prices they had been accustomed to demand for them at the sales. Had they let them run at such prices before, there are many of us who can testify that a vast increase in sales would have been realized.

6. After the sale was concluded, private letters were written to important houses, offering to take their orders for books at the prices at which they were sold at the sale, and their orders, when received, were added to the sale.

On the whole, therefore, even supposing the Harpers' sale had reached $80,000, the amount could not be considered a large one, under the circumstances. But why not take the amount sold of one of the few other invoices contributed to the recent sale as a test? Certainly it would show a very different result. On the other hand, in the sale which has just commenced in Philadelphia, the only invoices which have been sold, at the time of writing this, have produced the most satisfactory results, in all respects, which have been obtained for years.

Experience will soon show which plan is the better one for trade sales; and it cannot be doubted that the associated publishers will have the discrimination and disposition to adopt the right one. M.

PUBLISHERS' ASSOCIATION.

A Regular Meeting of the Publishers' Association was held at their rooms, on Wednesday, September 12.

A. S. BARNES, Vice-President, in the Chair.

Mr. PUTNAM, from Committee on the Festival, reported that every thing was proceeding favorably—that two hundred and thirty-two invitations had been sent to authors and editors, and that the total number of tickets issued up to this time was 440. Speeches are expected from Hon. Edward Everett, Henry Ward Beecher, W. C. Bryant, and many other eminent authors.

Moved, by Mr. ORTON, and carried, That a Notice be given in the Publishers' Circular, that parties holding tickets which they do not intend using personally, shall be requested to return them to the Secretary of the Association, as they are not transferable.

Mr. PUTNAM then stated that tickets had been prepared for the galleries, which would accommodate about three hundred.

On motion of Mr. WILEY it was carried that those tickets should be distributed among the members of the Association to the extent of the three hundred.

On motion of Mr. MASON, a vote of thanks was unanimously passed to Mr. Putnam for his indefatigable services in connection with the Festival, and also expressing entire confidence in his management of the matters committed to his charge.

On motion of Mr. APPLETON, the Treasurer was appointed a special committee to solicit such additional subscriptions as might be needed.

Mr. D. G. Mason then offered some remarks in relation to the Philadelphia Sale, which he stated to have been so far remarkably successful.

On motion the Convention then adjourned.

G. P. Putnam, *Secretary.*

TO THE TRADE.

Members of the Trade who have received tickets to the Festival, are requested to *return* such as they do not intend to use personally to the Secretary of the Publishers' Association, as they are not transferable.

Per order,

Charles B. Norton, *Assist. Secretary.*

The Philadelphia Trade Sale has commenced under the most favorable circumstances. At the hour we go to press this week, we are unable to speak at length, but those who were present during its first days report that the attendance was much fuller than heretofore upon the opening day, and the first invoice was sold to an audience at least quadruple that of previous sales. The bidding was spirited, and competition, a thing unknown for some years back, began to be exhibited. The contributors and buyers all seemed satisfied and pleased with the change, and a pleasant and active week was anticipated.

The Library and Reading-Room.—It is hoped that it will not be forgotten that the New York Book Publishers' Association have fitted up this room for the especial benefit of the Trade. The room is conveniently located in Messrs. Appleton & Co.'s Building, No. 348 Broadway, and is comfortably and appropriately furnished. In the bookcases will be found the publications of most of the principal publishers in the country, and the frequenters of the library will meet with courteous attention from the librarian and his assistants. The tables are amply supplied with newspapers and periodicals from all parts of the country. In short nothing has been neglected to make the library and reading-room as complete in all their details as possible. The booksellers can here learn the publisher, price, etc., of any book published either in this country or in Europe. We trust that all publishers will send to the library their new books as soon as issued, so that they can be ready for examination by the numerous visitors of the library, simultaneously with their publication. The Association extends an invitation to all members of the Trade to make free use of the library and reading-room. Let them make it the general head-quarters of booksellers in New-York. Booksellers visiting the city are requested to call at the library-room and register their names in a book provided for the purpose.

Literary Intelligence.

A new work, entitled "Modern Pilgrims," by the Author of "Peter Schlemihl in America," is in press and will be published early in October next. The *Rochester American* answers the query: *Who wrote Peter Schlemihl?*" by stating that the author's name is George Wood, a native of Massachusetts; but who has been a resident of Washington for many years. The "Modern Pilgrims," is to be published by Phillips, Sampson & Co., Boston.

The Literary Societies of Brown University, held their anniversary exercises on Tuesday the 4th inst. The *Providence Journal* speaks highly of the oration of James T. Brady, of New York—and says of the poem by John G. Saxe, that "it was received with enthusiasm and unbounded applause."

The late Thomas P. Cushing, of Boston, left the munificent sum of $150,000 to the town of Ashburnham, Worcester Co., to endow two seminaries of learning, to be located in Ashburnham, the one for males, and the other for females over ten years of age.

We learn from the *Patriot* that the City Council of Concord, N.H., have passed an ordinance for the establishment and perpetual maintenance of a public library. A pledge made by John L. Emmons, Esq., of Boston, and a native of Concord, will give $1,000 to start with; and $300 is promised by Octavius Rogers, Esq., besides many donations of books and money from benevolent and patriotic persons. The Council appropriates, in addition to the above, $15,000 for the purchase of library furniture and books.

A highly interesting relic of the great Napoleon is now being exhibited. It is a volume of military maps, among which are several plans of battles drawn by the Emperor himself. This relic was left at an inn by the Emperor during his hasty retreat after the battle of Waterloo.

The University of Konigsberg intends to erect a monument to the philosopher Kant, once the great ornament of that learned institution. It is to be a statue in bronze, and will be placed on the daily promenade of the great man, which, after him has been called "der Philosophensteig" (The Philosopher's Path.)

Death of a London Publisher.—The last English papers announce the death of Henry Colburn, Esq., the eminent and well-known London publisher. Mr. Colburn commenced his career with forming a circulating library in Conduit street, but, early laid the foundation by his zeal in the publication of works of sterling literature, of that important business in Great Marlborough street, from which he retired a year or two since in favor of Messrs. Hurst & Blackett. Mr. Colburn was the first publisher of the *Literary Gazette*, and the first book reviewed in that Journal, Jan. 25th, 1817, was a volume of Private Correspondence of Benjamin Franklin, published by him.

The Right Hon. T. B. Macaulay, M. P., has presented an extensive and valuable donation of books to the library of the Edinburgh Philosophical Institution, of which he is president. The collection, which is handsomely bound, embraces some of the most important works in English history and literature.

The Library Movement.—The petitions being circulated by the members of the Young Men's Literary Association, of Springfield, Mass., for the establishment of a public library by the city government, are meeting with a very general approbation, and have already received over one thousand signatures.

The Newburyport City Library.—This institution has been commenced under the most favorable circumstances. The *Newburyport Herald* gives a list of the donations received, from which we learn that Hon. Josiah Little has given $5000. The donations from Boston are as follows: Sons of Newburyport in Boston, being balance of cash after paying the expenses of the celebration of July 4th, 1854, $241; Reed, Chadwick & Dexter, $75; Hon. Charles Jackson, $50; Dr. James Jackson, $10. Col. Samuel Sweet presented seven hundred volumes, and Hon. Charles Jackson fifty-one volumes. The Library commences with 5,500 books.

A new mezzotint engraving called the "American Christian Union," has just been published. The scene appears to be the interior of a church, with a congregation of distinguished divines of all evangelical denominations. Bishop Wainwright is presiding, with the familiar figure of Dr. Cox conspicuously holding forth, while some forty of the leading clergymen of the present day are seated at the right and left. Among them are Drs. Ferris, Krebs, Tyng, Spring, Spencer, Cone, H. W. Beecher, L. Beecher, Bishop Waugh, Bishop Coskry, Rev. E. N. Kirk, and others.

The Parliamentary library of the late Joseph Hume, Esq., was bequeathed by him to the London University College.

The Imperial Library of Vienna contains 16,000 manuscripts in the Greek, Hebrew, Chinese, Indian and Arabic languages, written on parchment.

Five thousand documents have already been transcribed by the commissioners appointed to collect and publish the entire writings of Napoleon. The most interesting of these contributions—because the least known—are those written while the hero of Austerlitz held inferior rank in the army. Numbers of letters written during the early portion of

his career have been sent to the imperial Commission. They were addressed to people—often to people almost unknown—and were treasured by them after the writer had become celebrated. Of these contributions the most remarkable are about sixty letters of instructions and explanations written by Napoleon while commanding the artillery at Toulon. The Imperial Commissioners have also in their possession an autograph letter, addressed by Napoleon to Cardinal Fesch—in which he describes minutely, and clearly, the proper duties of an archbishop. Indeed, Napoleon's correspondence with the clergy promises to form a remarkable portion of his collected works. It appears that he wrote a series of letters to the Ministre des Cultes, in which he gave his notion of a good priest. The main point on which he forcibly dwells is, that the church has no business with affairs of State. It is said that these lessons to the Minister of religion are both severe and just.

M. Didot, the eminent French publisher, has just issued a pamphlet against a projected paper duty in France. In 1340, says M. Didot, King Philip ordered that "paper and books, being indispensable to pupils, should be exempt from duty." King John, in 1360, confirmed that privilege; and afterward Louis XII. and Francois I. declared books exempt from every kind of impost. Henry II., in 1552, ordered that there should always be in France a special favor shown to paper; and, in 1789, when an attempt was made to introduce a paper duty, the idea was so unpopular that the proposed plan came to nothing.

An acceptable addition to the Catalogue of the British Museum Library has been made in a list of the pamphlets belonging to the Royal Library. The catalogue is in twelve small octavo volumes. The pamphlets are about twenty thousand in number, extending from the reign of Charles I. to George III., by whom they were presented to the nation about thirty years ago.

Governor Bradford's long lost MS., "History of Plymouth Colony and people from 1602 to 1647," has been discovered in Lambeth Palace, London. The MS. must have been taken to England when the British troops evacuated Boston in 1776.

A Literary discovery of interest has lately been made. It comprises above a hundred letters of James Boswell, principally addressed to his friend, the Rev. William Templer, Rector of St. Gluvias, in Cornwall, whose name is mentioned three or four times in the life of Johnson. They were rescued some years ago from the hands of a shopkeeper in France, with a mass of other correspondence of less importance, addressed to this Mr. Templer, but have not been thoroughly examined until lately. Preparations are now being made for their publication.

A Paris paper announces the fact of the discovery of an unpublished fragment of a lost tragedy of Euripides, by M. Egger, of the Institute.

Public Museums and Libraries in Ireland.—Mr. Ewart, Mr. G. A. Hamilton, and Mr. Kirk have introduced a bill for further promoting the establishment of free public libraries and museums in Ireland. It repeals the 16 and 17 Victoria, cap. 101, and the 99th section of 17 and 18 Victoria, cap. 103, and provides for the adoption of the act in any incorporated borough, or any town, the population of which shall exceed 5,000 persons, the adoption to be determined by the votes of two-thirds of the householders. The expenses of carrying the act into execution are to be defrayed out of the borough or town fund. Accounts are to be audited, and a copy thereof sent to the Lord-Lieutenant. The amount of the rate to be levied for the purposes of the act is not to exceed 1d. in the pound in any one year. The councils or boards of any borough, and the town commissioners of any town, are empowered to appropriate lands, and to sell and exchange the same for the purposes of this act. The general management of the libraries and museums is to be vested in the borough councils and town-commissioners, who are "to purchase and provide the necessary fuel, lighting, and other similar matters,—books, newspapers, maps, and specimens of art and science," &c. The property of the library and all lands and buildings will be vested in the managers. A decision against the adoption of this act will be valid for one year. Museums and libraries established under this act will be open to the public free of all charge.

A monument has been erected at St. Petersburg to the Russian Fable-writer, Krylow (born 1768, died 1844.) It is a colossal "*sic sedebat*" statue of the poet, surrounded by allegorical groups of animals, and has been modelled by the well known Russian sculptor, Baron Kloots.

A member of the English House of Commons has given notice that next session "he shall move an address to her majesty, praying that her majesty will be graciously pleased to appoint a commission to inquire into the state of the authorized version of the Bible, and to prepare a plan for the further revision of that translation."

The London Athenæum of Aug. 18th devotes a page and a half to a Review of Know Nothingism, as exemplified in "The Sons of the Sires," a work lately published in Philadelphia.

A valuable discovery has been recently made in Hungary, of a collection of twelve autograph sermons of Martin Luther. They are signed with the initials, M. L. of the name of the great German Reformer. The sermons are bound in one volume in parchment, the binding showing traces of ornamental gilding.

The first volume of a History of the United States, by a French Author, is announced as follows: "History of the United States, from the first efforts at Colonization to the adoption of the Federal Constitution, by Edward Taboulage, Member of the Institute." This work is favorably reviewed in the Athenæum Francais.

The Dutch claim as the inventor of printing, their compatriot Laurent Jean Costar. To perpetuate his memory a statue has just been erected in Harlem.

The King of Prussia has given a Gold Medal to Lieut. Maury of the U. S. Navy, in recognition of his services to science, an honorable distinction which will be approved by scientific men of all nations.

Books Received

AT THE OFFICE OF THE "AMERICAN PUBLISHERS' CIRCULAR," SINCE SEPTEMBER 8.

*** Publishers are particularly requested to mark the price of each Book, sent to the Publishers' Circular, on the Title-Page.

From James Munroe & Co., Boston.

The Works of Shakspeare. The Text carefully restored according to the first editions; with Introductions, Notes, original and selected, and a Life of the Poet, by the Rev. H. N. Hudson, A. M. Vol. viii. 12mo. 614 pp.

From Phillips, Sampson & Co., Boston.

Letters to a Young Physician just entering upon Practice. By James Jackson, M. D., LL. D. 12mo. 344 pp.

The Standard Second Reader. By Epes Sargeant. 16mo. 216 pp.

Japan as it Was and Is. By Richard Hildreth, Author of History of the United States, etc. 12mo. 576 pp.

From Ticknor & Fields, Boston.

Oakfield; or, Fellowship in the East. By W. D. Arnold. 12mo. 444 pp

From H. Mansfield, New Haven.

The Life, Times, and Characteristics of John Bunyan, Author of the Pilgrim's Progress. By Robert Phillip. With an Introduction by S. Dryden Phelps, D. D. 8vo. 610 pp.

From Charles Scribner, New York.

A Sketch of the Political, Social, and Religious Character of the United States of North America, in two Lectures. By Dr. Philip Schaff. Translated from the German. 12mo. 291 pp.

From Miller, Orton & Mulligan, New York and Auburn.

Memoirs of Henry the Eighth, with the Fortunes, Fates and Characters of his Six Wives. By Henry William Herbert. 12mo. 441 pp.

From R. Carter & Bros., New York.

The Southern Cross and Southern Crown; or, The Gospel in New Zealand. By Miss Tucker. 16mo. 263 pp.

The Priest, the Puritan, and the Preacher. By the Rev. J. C. Ryle. 16mo. 360 pp.

Tales from English History. 36mo. 344 pp.

The Christ of History, an Argument grounded in the facts of his life on Earth. By John Young, M. A. 12mo. 260 pp.

From D. Appleton & Co., New York.

Polyglot Reader and Guide for Translation, consisting of a Series of English Extracts with their Translation into French, German, Spanish, and Italian. The several parts designed to serve as Mutual Keys. By J. Roemer, A. M.

German Translation. By Reinhold Solger. 12mo. 302 pp.

French Translation. By J. Roemer, A. M. 12mo. 298 pp.

English Text. 280 pp.

Sallust's Jugurtha and Catiline, with Notes and Vocabulary. By Noble, Butler and Minard Sturgus. 12mo. 297 pp.

From C. Blanchard, New York.

Basia, The Kisses of Joannes Secundus and Jean Bonnefous, with a selection from the best Ancient and Modern Authors. 24mo. 224 pp.

Ovid's Art of Love in three Books. The Remedy of Love, The Art of Beauty, The Court of Love, The History of Love and Amours. 24mo. 302 pp.

Fables from Boccaccio and Chaucer. By John Dryden, with a Memoir of the Author. 24mo. 230 pp.

From E. H. Butler & Co., Philadelphia.

The Poetry and Mystery of Dreams. By Charles G. Leland. 12mo. 271 pp.

From Parry & McMillan, Philadelphia.

The Gospels, with Moral Reflections on each verse. By Pasquier Quesnel, with an Introductory Essay, by the Rev. Daniel Wilson, D. D. Revised by the Rev. Henry A. Boardman, D. D. 2 vols. 8vo. 1292 pp.

Evenings with the Prophets. A Series of Memoirs and Meditations. By Rev. A. Morton Brown, LL. D. 12mo. 376 pp.

List of Announcements

OF FORTHCOMING WORKS BY VARIOUS PUBLISHERS.

*** Publishers will confer a favor by sending their new publications as rapidly as issued, that they may be withdrawn from the following list, and inserted in the list of new books.

BOSTON.

Phillips, Sampson & Co.

Modern Pilgrims. By George Wood, Author of "Peter Schlemihl in America."
Helen Dupré.
Wolfsden: a New England Novel.
Columba: a Story of the Vendetta. Translated from the French of Prosper Merimié.
Bernice: an Autobiographical Novel.
Edith Hall: a New England Story.
The New Age of Gold; or, the Life and Adventures of Robert Dexter Romaine. Written by Himself.
History of the Reign of Philip II. By William H. Prescott. Two vols. of this work will be ready Dec. 1st.
New Edition of Mr. Prescott's Conquest of Mexico, Conquest of Peru, Ferdinand and Isabella, and Minelline.
English Notes. By Ralph Waldo Emerson.
The Great Barry Diamond. By Mrs. Carter.
Violet: a Fairy Story.
Aunty Wonderful Stories from the German.
Every Beginning is Easy.
New Edition of the Rollo Books. By Joseph Abbot.

J. Munroe & Co.

Vol. 9 Hudson's Edition of Shakspere.
Heath and Graves.
Illustrations of Scripture. By Rev. Horatio Hackett, D. D.
Rambles about Boston.

Little, Brown & Co.

The British Essayists. Edited by Alexander Chalmers, D. D. 38 vols. 16mo.
The Principles of Political Economy, applied to the Condition, the Resources, and the Institutions of the American People. By Prof. Francis Bowen. 1 vol. 8vo.
Leading Cases in Admiralty and Shipping, with Notes and Commentaries. 1 vol.
Arbitration at Common Law, in Equity, and under the Statutes of the States of the United States. By Hon. Edward G. Loring.
Commentaries on Criminal Law. By Joel Prentiss Bishop, Esq., Author of "Commentaries on the Law of Marriage and Divorce."
A Treatise on the Law of Sales. By C. Blackburn. With Additions, Notes, and References, by William P. Wells, Esq.
The Revised Code of North Carolina. 1 vol. 8vo.
A Collection of Leading Cases in various branches of the Criminal Law, with Notes. By B. F. Butler and F. F. Heard, Esquires. 2 vols.
A Treatise on the Construction of the Statute of Frauds. By C. Austen Browne, Esq.
A Treatise on the Law of Highways, Dedication of, Travellers, Travelling, &c. By Joseph K. Angell, Esq.
The Principle and Rules of Law regulating the Property of Husband and Wife; and Civil Actions therefor. By Hon. Edward G. Loring.
The Elements of Mercantile Law. By Hon. Theophilus Parsons, LL. D., Professor in the Law School of Harvard University.
A Treatise on Maritime Contracts. By Hon. Theophilus Parsons.
Introduction to American Law. By Hon. Timothy Walker, LL. D., of Cincinnati. Third Edition, revised.
Ware's Reports of Cases argued and determined in the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine. Second Edition, revised and corrected by the Author.
The Law of Vendors and Purchasers of Real Property. By Francis Hilliard, Esq.
Tudor's Leading Cases on the Law relating to Real Property, Conveyancing, and the Construction of Wills. By Owen D. Tudor, Esq., of the Middle Temple. With Notes, by a Member of the Boston Bar. 1 vol. Will be published at an early day.

Ticknor & Fields.

Song of Hiawatha: a Poem. By Henry W. Longfellow.
Susan Merton: a Novel. By Charles Reade.
Mimic Life; or, Before and Behind the Curtain. By Anna Cora Ritchie.
A New Volume of Tales, and a New Juvenile. By Grace Greenwood.
The Wisdom and Genius of Walter Savage Landor. By George S. Hillard.
The Magician's Show Box. By the Author of "Rainbows for Children."
Flower People. By Mrs. Horace Mann.
Life of Christopher North. By Prof. Ferier.
A New Volume of Sermons. By Dr. Lowell.
Curious Stories about Fairies, and other Funny People.
The Mystic: a New Poem. By P. J. Bailey, Author of "Festus."
Clouds and Sunshine and Art, a Dramatic Tale. By Charles Reade.

Gould & Lincoln.

Patriarchy; or, the Family: its Constitution and Probation. By John Harris, D. D.
God Revealed in Nature and in Christ. By James B. Walker.
Knowledge is Power. By Charles Knight. With numerous illustrations. Revised, with Additions, by David A. Wells.
Sacred Latin Poetry; chiefly Lyrical. Selected, and arranged for use, by Richard Chenevix Trench. Revised, with Additions, by Prof. J. L. Lincoln. of Brown University.
Exposition of the Sermon on the Mount. By Richard Chenevix Trench.
History of Latin Christianity. By Henry Hart Milman, D. D.
Life and Works of Goethe. By G. H. Lewes.
Richard Cromwell, and the Dawn of the Restoration. By M. Guizot.

John P. Jewett & Co.

Cora and the Doctor; or, Revelations of a Physician's Wife. 1 vol. 12mo.

Hickling, Swan & Brown.

A First Class Reader. By Geo. S. Hillard.
The American Comprehensive Reader. By W. D. Swan.
Exercises in Enunciation and Pronunciation. By W. D. Swan.
Royal Quarto Dictionary, unabridged, by Joseph E. Worcester, LL. D. It will contain upwards of ten thousand words not inserted in any of his former editions.

NEW YORK.

Robert Carter & Brothers.

Nellie of Truro. By the Author of "Vara; or, the Child of Adoption." 12mo.
A Geography of the Chief Places mentioned in the Bible, and the Principal Events connected with them. By C. A. Goodrich; with maps. For Sabbath Schools and Bible Classes.
Kate Kilborn. By the Author of "Jeanie Morrison." 16mo.
Cowper's Task. Illustrated by Birket Foster. Printed on fine tinted paper.
A Commentary on the Greek Text of the Epistle to the Hebrews. By the late F. S. Sampson, D. D., of Hampden Sidney, Va. 8vo.
Henry's Commentary. A new edition in quarto form; large type.
The Prophets of the Restoration: a Commentary on Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi. By the Rev. T. V. Moore. 8vo.
Drummond on the Parables.

D. Burgess & Co.

Towers' Grammar of Composition; or Gradual Exercises in Writing the English Language.

Dix & Edwards.

Twice Married: a Tale of Connecticut Life. 12mo.

J. C. Derby.

The Widow Bedott Papers; containing also the Experience of Aunt Maguire; Edited by Alice B. Neal; with eight humorous illustrations by Dallas and Orr. 12mo.
Indian Legends and other Poems. By Maria G. Horsford. 12mo.
Married, not Mated: a Novel. By Alice Carey.
Winnie and I: a Novel. 12mo.
Isora's Child: a Novel. 12mo.
Camp Fires of the Red Men. 12mo. Illustrated.
Home; or, Recollections of a New England Family. 12mo.
Gabriel Vane; or the Orphan Pilgrims: a Novel. 12mo.
Beecher's Lectures to Young Men; revised and enlarged.
The Marys of History. By Henry William Herbert. 12mo.
Jackson and New Orleans. By Alexander Walker, Editor of the New Orleans Delta. 12mo.
American Rejected Addresses. 12mo.
The Sparrowgrass Papers. By Frederick S. Cozzens, Esq. 12mo.
The Brother Clerks: a Tale of New Orleans.
The Heart of Mabel Ware: a Novel.
The Young Lady's Guide to Perfect Gentility. By Emily Thornnell. 12mo.
The Rainbow around the Tomb: a Book for Mourners. By the same.

Robert B. Collins.

An Introduction to Physiology, for the use of Students and the General Reader. By M. La Borde, Prof. of Physiology, &c., in the South Carolina College, Columbia, S. C. 12mo.
A Compend of History from the Earliest Times. By Samuel Whelpley, A. M., with corrections and important improvements and additions by Rev. Joseph Emerson. New edition, brought down to the present day, by Samuel Emerson, A. M. 12mo., 2 vols in 1.

John S. Voorhies.

A Treatise on the Construction of Statutes. 1 vol. royal 8vo. By Theodore Sedgwick, Esq.
A Treatise on the Principles of Circumstantial Evidence, and particularly of Presumptive Evidence, in Criminal Cases: including a systematical view of the circumstances constituting such evidence, both singly and in combination. With an Appendix of Cases. By Alexander M. Burrill, Esq. Author of the "Law Dictionary," &c. 1 vol. 8vo.
Reports of Cases, Argued and Determined in the Surrogate's Court of the City and County of New York, from March, 1849, to Dec. 1853. By the Hon. Alex. W. Bradford.
Abbott's Practice Reports. Vol. 2.
Reports of Practice Cases decided in the Courts of the State of New York.
A Treatise on Banking Corporations. By a Member of the New York Bar.

Stringer & Townsend.

Frank Leslie's Portfolio of Fancy Needlework. Edited by Mrs. Ann S. Stephens.
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